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Docket No.: VRT0078US

October 28, 2005

MAIL STOP RCE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re:

Applicant(s):

Jagadish Bandhole, Sekaran Nanja, Shan Balasubramaniam

Assignee:

VERITAS Operating Corporation

Title:

CROSS-SPECTRUM APPLICATION MODEL FOR DYNAMIC

COMPUTING ENVIRONMENTS IN SOFTWARE LIFECYCLE

Serial No.:

10/044,290

Examiner:

Andre R. Fowlkes

Filed: January 11, 2002

Group Art Unit: 2192

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Dear Sir:

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Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) Return Receipt Postcard;
- (2) This Transmittal Letter (1 page) (in duplicate);
- (3) Request for Continued Examination (1 page);
- (4) Preliminary Amendment (10 pages); and
- (5) Petition for Extension of Time (1 page).

No additional fee is required. The fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

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☐ Fe	Fee of for the first filing of one or more multiple dependent claims per application								
									790.00
	Fee for Request for Extension of Time (One Month)								120.00
Total additional fee for this Amendment:								\$	910.00
Conditional Petition for Extension of Time: If an extension of time is required for timely filing of the enclosed document(s) after all papers filed with this transmittal have been considered, an extension of time is hereby requested.									
□ Ple	Please charge our Deposit Account No. 502306 in the amount of							\$	<u>910.00</u>
	Also, charge any additional fees required and credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 502306.								
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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop RCE, COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on October 28, 2005.

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Respectfully submitted

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